GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

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SETTING UP OF SPINNING MILLS
AVTAR SINGH BHADANA

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of spinning mills in the cooperative sector in the country at present, State-wise;

(b) whether these mills have the capacity to meet the requirements of handloom and powerloom industries;

(c) whether the Government have any proposal to set up new mills in Meerut, Muzzafarnagar and Bulandshahar in Uttar Pradesh;

(d) if so, the number of such mills likely to be set up during the Ninth Five Year Plan, location-wise and State-wise; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES

(GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN)
(a) The number of cotton/man-made fibre spinning mills in the co-operative sector, state-wise, as on 31-1- 2000

State/Union Territory	No. of Spinning Mills
Andhra Pradesh	11
Assam	1
Bihar	3
Gujarat	4
Karnataka	12
Kerala	4
Madhya Pradesh	2
Maharashtra	67
Orissa	6
Punjab	7
Rajasthan	4
Tamilnadu	18
Uttar Pradesh	11
West Bengal	2
Pondicherry	2

(b) The yarn requirement of the handloom and powerloom sectors is being met by the spinning mills in co-operative fold along with spinning mills set up in private and public sectors.

(c) to (e) :The Central Government acts as a facilitator and it, on its own, does not set up any new mill.